Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Henry J. Dugan started Dugan Sales and Service in 1911, selling farm implements and Maytag wash machines in Watertown, South Dakota, and,

Whereas, Henry W. and Robert M. Dugan continued the tradition, and moved the store to its current location in uptown Watertown in the 1940s, and,

Whereas, Jim Dugan continues to operate the family business, selling a huge variety of home appliances and electronics in the same location in Watertown, and is the last locally owned appliance store in the market, and,

Whereas, Dugan's have thrived in 100 years of retailing through their dedication to customer value, and service after the sale, and,

Whereas, Dugan Sales and Service will be observing their 100th anniversary as a family owned business in Watertown, South Dakota, on July 7, 2011:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 7, 2011, as

DUGAN SALES AND SERVICE DAY

in South Dakota, and thank the Dugan's for their economic resolve and contributions to South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Ninth Day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eleven.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Judy A. Larson Exec. Asst.

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State